# Minnesota State University Moorhead

# **COMM 440: Broadcast Documentary**

## A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

History and analysis of non-fiction documentation via radio, film and video. Each student will write a treatment and shooting script for a documentary and participate in the development of a television documentary program. Repeatable for credit.

## B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 09/09/2014 - Present

# C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. History and analysis of non fiction documentation via radio, film and video. Each student will write a treatment and shooting script for a documentary and participate in the development of a television documentary program.

## **D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)**

1. Students will gain an understanding of documentary production from planning to completion with an emphasis on production values necessary for broadcast.

#### E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

#### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

## **G. SPECIAL INFORMATION**

None noted